



**SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
FOR ORIGINAL U.S. PATENT APPLICATION**

Attorney's Docket No.59333-8025.US02

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACCESSING A WIDE AREA NETWORK, the specification of which,

(check one)

1. ☐ is attached hereto.
2. ☒ was filed on August 3, 2000 as
U.S. Application Serial No. 09/631,424
and including amendments through April 12, 2004.
3. ☐ was filed on _____ as
International PCT Application Serial No. _____
and was amended on _____.

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, CFR § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States code, § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application of patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Benefits Claimed?

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

Prior U.S. Application(s)

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| <u>60/016,680</u> (Application Serial No.) | <u>May 1, 1996</u> (Filing Date) | <u>Expired</u> (Status-patented, pending, abandoned, expired) |
| <u>60/016,873</u> (Application Serial No.) | <u>May 6, 1996</u> (Filing Date) | <u>Expired</u> (Status-patented, pending, abandoned, expired) |
| <u>08/847,921</u> (Application Serial No.) | <u>April 28, 1997</u> (Filing Date) | <u>Pending</u> (Status-patented, pending, abandoned, expired) |

And I hereby appoint Paul L. Hickman (Reg. No.: 28,516); Brian R. Coleman (Reg. No. 39,145), Jonathan P. Kudla (Reg. No. 47,724), Carina M. Tan (Reg. No. 45,796), David Bogart Dort (Reg. No. 50,213), Steven S. Kelley (Reg. No. 43,449), and the law firm of Perkins Coie LLP, (Customer No. 22918) as my principal attorneys and/or agents to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected herewith.

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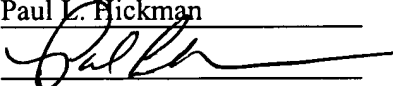
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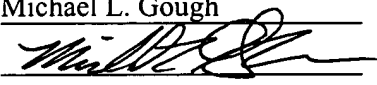
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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Sole or First Inventor: Paul L. Hickman **Citizenship:** U.S.A.
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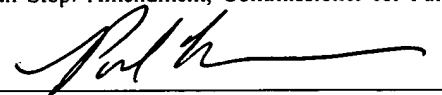
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Statement of Inventor, Michael L. Gough, Regarding Correction of Inventorship

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

I, Michael L. Gough, hereby declare as follows:

1. I am an inventor of at least one claim in the above-identified patent application.
2. The originally named inventor in the above-identified application was correct at the time of filing, but subsequent amendments to the claims included subject matter of which I was a co-inventor in at least one claim. The change is to correct an error in the inventorship of the amended claims, and was without deceptive intent on the part of the actual inventors.

Respectfully submitted,

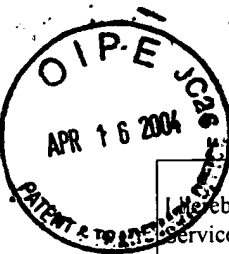
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Consent of the Assignee, G&H Nevada-Tek, (37 CFR § 1.48(a))

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

I Paul L. Hickman, hereby declare as follows:

1. I am a partner in G&H Nevada-Tek. I am also an inventor of invention(s) described in the above-identified patent application. Upon a review of the claims deemed to be allowable by the Examiner, it has been determined that Michael L. Gough is also an inventor of at least one of the claimed inventions.

2. The assignee, G&H Nevada-Tek, consents to this correction of inventorship.

Respectfully submitted,
G&H Nevada-Tek

Date: April 12, 2004

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